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THAT MYSTERY.

No Important Developments in the Case of John Rogers.

PAIR OF FLOATERS MAY SOLVE

The Problem to Which the Answer is the Guilt or Innocence of Rogers—The Man has been Sent to the Workhouse for Safe Keeping—Blood Found on the Gunwale of the House Boat—Every Evidence of a Fleeting Struggle.

Saturday's Intelligencer gave the only comprehensive and complete story of the river house-boat mystery that is puzzling the local police. It was through the Intelligencer's exclusive information of the starting of "John Rogers" and two other peddlers from Steubenville, the previous Saturday, that Rogers was forced to make his first admission—an admission that formed his confession that he had lied to Captain Bennett when he told him repeatedly that he had had no companions on his trip down the river between the two towns, just as he had falsified when he told the chief that his boat had been sunk.

On the strength of the developments brought about by this paper's enterprise in giving to its readers all the facts that could be obtained in connection with the mystery, Rogers has been sent to the workhouse for thirty days. Here he will remain while the police continue their efforts to unfold the details of the crime they are certain has been committed. Keeper McGannon, of the work house, has been given instructions by Captain Bennett, to keep a watchful eye on Rogers. This is the only precaution needed, as Rogers would not be able to make an escape as easily as prisoners provided with two good legs. The story told the Intelligencer Friday night by Rogers, to the effect that his two companions left him at Brilliant after a quarrel that was not a fight, is not believed. The circumstantial evidence already accumulated in the case points in an entirely different direction. The conclusion that will be arrived at by those following the several developments in the case is that Rogers did away with one or both of his companions and then deserted the boat. Not only the developments, but the man's conduct justify this suspicion.

The little six-by-fifteen house boat that figures in the case, caught by Ed. Blatner, near the LaBelle landing, Friday morning, was an object of general curiosity yesterday, and it was visited and inspected by hundreds of people during the day, many of whom took away scraps from lithographs with blood spots on them and other articles as relics.

An Intelligencer reporter and others made a close examination of the boat, with the result that the belief that a crime was committed is stronger than before. At the lower end of the little craft, the corner post supporting the roof of the cabin has been knocked away and on the gunwale about three inches from where it was fixed, there are spots that are believed to be blood. This would lead one to suppose that a body had been cast into the river—or that a struggle had taken place aft and one of the participants was thrown into the stream while alive and struggling.

The police had no further developments to give out late last night, but the case is being worked up by the officers as well as possible under the circumstances. Chief Bennett says he will be surprised if the public is not soon informed of the finding of one or two floaters in the river that will turn out to be the bodies of former occupants of the house-boat.

ABOUT PEOPLE

Strangers in the City and Wheeling Folks Abroad.

Colonel and Mrs. James B. Taney returned home yesterday afternoon, from Belfast, Ireland, where Colonel Taney was United States consul. They are stopping at the home of Captain S. L. Brice, a brother-in-law of Colonel Taney. Judging by appearances, their four years' sojourn on the Emerald Isle has agreed with them, but as Colonel Taney expressed it last night, to an Intelligencer reporter, "I liked it only fairly well. There was always a longing to get back to Wheeling."

"Belfast is a thriving city," he continued, "and we were treated nicely during our stay. The people are industrious and money-getting. Though Belfast is a splendid seaport town with lots of shipping, it is noted principally for its industries. The exports to the United States consist largely of textiles."

In reply to questions as to the condition of the Irish people at present, Colonel Taney thought that the blight to the potato crop had caused hardships to the people of the south and west, but the reports of starvation sent out were exaggerated. There were hardships, peculiar to any thickly settled district, but on the whole, Ireland was doing as well as ever.

Regarding Wheeling, Colonel Taney asked many questions, so anxious was he to learn of old friends, that he became the interviewer, and the reporter the interviewed. The changes about the city he had noticed, he said, he was glad to learn had been for the better, and Wheeling presented to him a prosperous appearance.

Malcom Brice, of Wheeling, vice-consul under his uncle, will retain the same position under Colonel Taney's successor. He does so under the civil service law.

P. E. Deatrick, a prominent business man of Martinsburg, is in the city.

Miss Bertha Releh, of Sisteraville, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents on Thirteenth street.

Windom Lewis, of Washington, Pa., a former La Belle employe, was visiting friends in the city yesterday.

Postmaster W. C. Smith, of Elm Grove, who has been ill for over two months with lung trouble, is still confined to his home with no signs of improvement.

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Dr. Miles' Pain Pills cure Neuralgia.

MARTIN'S FERRY COUNCIL

Passes an Ordinance to Compel the Wheeling Railway Company to Forfeit its Franchise—Alleges Failure to Fulfill Promises.

The Martin's Ferry council on Saturday night passed an ordinance declaring it the intention of the city to compel the Wheeling Railway Company to forfeit its rights in Martin's Ferry, and instructing City Solicitor Frances to bring proceedings against the company.

The ordinance goes on to state that the company has never notified the city of Martin's Ferry of its acceptance of the franchise, that the consent of the property owners on the abutting property was not secured, that the company promised to extend the line to the northern portion of the city and that it has never been built further north than Walnut street, that the passengers pay their full fare and are dumped off on Fourth near Walnut, that the company has never paid for its share of street paving on Broadway and Fourth streets, that it has never paid any taxes or fulfilled promises agreed to when it asked for right of way, which was secured by John M. Sweeney.

The ordinance was read and passed without debate. Councilman J. H. Farnell moved that the rules be suspended and this was done and the motion of Councilman E. B. Williams that the ordinance be passed as read carried, both without a dissenting vote. General Manager W. S. Wright and Attorney Erskine were present and heard the ordinance read but said nothing. The company is to be given thirty days notice.

The petition asking council to purchase a right of way through the West Virginia Glass Works for the opening of Second street to Main, was read and referred to the finance committee.

MUSICAL WHEELING.

Efforts are now being made by local admirers of church organ music to bring to Wheeling the leading artist of the country in that line, Frederic Archer, late of England, now connected with the Pittsburgh Conservatory of Music, and director of the Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra, which was heard in Wheeling last year with Mr. Archer wielding the baton. The recital will take place in the Fourth street M. E. church if the movement results in success.

The bi-weekly concert of the Philharmonic Club, which was scheduled for to-morrow evening in the Carroll Club auditorium, has been postponed until the following Tuesday on account of the Wheeling appearance of Minnie Madden Fiske in "Tess of the D'Urbervilles" at the Opera House to-morrow evening. So many followers of the Philharmonic series of concerts desired the change that it was made yesterday.

The Opera House orchestra began its season of Sunday evening rehearsals last evening in Arion hall in the presence of a large and delighted audience. The following excellent programme was given:

PART I.

March—"The Stars and Stripes Forever"..... Sousa
Overture—"Hungarian Lustspiel"..... Keiser-Bela
Waltz—"Sueno de Maria" (Mary's Dream)..... Vollstedt

PART II.

Gems from "The Lady Slavey"..... Kerker
Solo for two Cornets—Polka, "Killing (a) "Xylophone Solo"..... Eisengraber
(b) March—"Kansas Two Step"..... Pryor

PART III.

Descriptive Fantasia—"The Shipwreck"..... Moore
Intermezzo—"Dreams of Fairyland," for String Instruments..... Noelker
March—"Hugh de Payens Commandery"..... Althouse

THE AMALGAMATION

Of the Sons of the Revolution and Another Organization.

At a meeting of the board of managers of the Society of the Sons of the Revolution in West Virginia, it was decided to call a special meeting of the state society for the purpose of determining the question of amalgamation of the general Society of the Sons of the Revolution with the national Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, two organizations with similar aims. The meetings will be held in Wheeling next Saturday, November 27, at which time the West Virginia representatives to the recent meetings in Cincinnati and Philadelphia will make their report. The consolidation is doubtful, the consent of every state society of the two organizations being required, and some of the big eastern state organizations, notably Pennsylvania, Massachusetts and New York are said to be opposed to the move.

WHO is John Smith?

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HANKEY—On Sunday, November 21, 1897, at 9:10 o'clock P. M. CHARLES W. HANKEY, at his late residence, No. 806 McCulloch street, in his 62d year. Funeral notice hereafter.

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